# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
# LOK SABHA

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ACTION AGAINST LPG DEALERS FOR COMMITTING IRREGULARITIES
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**Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:**

(a) the number of complaints received and cases registered against L.P.G. agencies in Bihar for committing irregularities during each of the last three years;

(b) the action taken by the Government against them ; and
(c) the details of LPG agencies closed down due to various irregularities during the above period in Bihar, year-wise ?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS ( SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR )

(a) : The total number of established complaints against LPG distributors in Bihar for committing irregularities during the last three years, are as under :-

| Years | Number of complaints |
|---|---|
| 1997-98 | 67 |
| 1998-99 | 28 |
| 1999-2000 | 20 |

(b) : Action was taken against such distributors for the established malpractice / irregularity, depending upon its nature as per the Distributorship agreement in vogue.

(c) : 3 LPG agencies were terminated/ closed down due to various irregularities during the above period in the State of Bihar.